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FOR A/SY ST. MARS; PANAMA FOR RSSO ROBINSON

E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJECT: TRANSFER TIMING

REF: RSO LETTER DATED APRIL 27, 1978
STATE 130571

IN REFERENCE TO RSS ROBINSON/ST. MARS TELECON OF JUNE 5,
FOLLOWING IS BACKGROUND TO RSO MARRANO'S REQUEST FOR EARLY
DEPARTURE.

2. IN MARCH 1978, POST WAS NOTIFIED OF RSO ROYAL KASTENS'
ASSIGNMENT TO BRASILIA VIA RSO MARRANO, ETA SEPTEMBER 1978.
NOTIFICATION ALSO REQUESTED MARRANO OVERLAP WITH KASTENS.

2. DURING RSO'S CONFERENCE IN PANAMA, APRIL 10-12, 1978,
EARLY DEPARTURE WAS DISCUSSED WITH DIRECTOR DIKEOS AND SY/
EXO TERRANOVA. MARRANO REQUESTED HE DEPART BRASILIA FOLLOWING
END OF SCHOOL SEMESTER JUNE 17. REASON FOR EARLY DEPARTURE
IS TO ARRANGE FOR DELAYED SHOULDER OPERATION FOR YOUNGER SON
MARK, AGE 16. OPERATION WHICH INVOLVES A CONVALESCING PERIOD OF
9-12 WEEKS, SHOULD BE PERFORMED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO THAT SON
MARK IS PHYSICALLY FIT WHEN ENTERING NEW SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER.
EARLY DEPARTURE WOULD ALSO PROVIDE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR MARRANOS'
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TO SEARCH FOR AN APPROPRIATE HOUSE AND SCHOOL.

3. LETTER DATED APRIL 27, 1978 SENT TO TERRANOVA, AS LATTER RE-
QUESTED, REITERATING REQUEST FOR EARLY DEPARTURE AND ALTERNATIVES
FOR RSO COVERAGE IN BRASILIA. MEANWHILE, APPOINTMENT WITH SURGICAL
BONE SPECIALIST AT MERCY HOSPITAL IN BUFFALO, NEW YORK, WAS CON-
FIRMED FOR JULY 10.

4. IN RESPONSE TO LETTER, STATE 130571 REQUESTED THAT RSO MARRANO SHOULD OVERLAP WITH ASSISTANT RSO REAMS, ETA JULY 18.

5. MARRANO REQUESTS APPROVAL FOR DEPARTURE DATE OF JULY 5. IF RSO REAMS ARRIVAL CANNOT BE MOVED AHEAD TO COINCIDE WITH JULY 5 DEPARTURE DATE, POST IS AGREEABLE TO RELEASE RSO MARRANO WITH OVERLAP TO BE ACCOMPLISHED IN DEPARTMENT WITH REAMS AND KASTENS.

6. SINCE SONS MARK AND NEAL ARE LISTED AS DEPENDENTS OF RSO MARRANO, ORDERS SHOULD BE ISSUED TO PERMIT DEPARTURE NO LATER THAN JULY 5.
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